

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Parag P. Mehta, et al.  
5 Assignee: QLogic Corporation  
Title: "PCI-Express Slot for Coupling Plural Devices to a Host System"  
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**Response to Office Action Dated February 23, 2007**

Sir:

In reply to the Office action of February 23, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the present application in view of the following remarks.

20 Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Listing** of claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.